

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re the Application of

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For: DIGITAL CAMERA, STORAGE MEDIUM FOR IMAGE SIGNAL PROCESSING, CARRIER WAVE
AND ELECTRONIC CAMERA



Group Art Unit: 2612

Examiner: T. Henn

Docket No.: 103689.01

**LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION
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